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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

RONALD RICHMAN,) No. C 07-5317 WHA
Plaintiff,)
v.) STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED]
UNITED STATES,) ORDER EXTENDING DEADLINE FOR
Defendant.) MEDIATION

Hon. William H. Alsup

Whereas, on April 10, 2008, this Court referred this case to the ADR Unit for mediation; and

Whereas, by operation of ADR Local Rule 6-4(b) the deadline to conduct the mediation in this case is July 9, 2008; and

Whereas, Mediator Herb A. Schwartz was selected on April 29, 2008; and

Whereas, on May 21, 2008, the parties and the mediator originally scheduled the mediation in this case on July 8, 2008; and

Whereas, on June 27, 2008, defendant filed a motion to dismiss this case for lack of subject matter jurisdiction and scheduled the hearing on the motion for August 7, 2008; and

1 Whereas, the parties agree that no meaningful mediation can occur in this case
 2 until the issues raised in the pending motion to dismiss for lack of subject matter
 3 jurisdiction are resolved; and
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5 Whereas, the parties and the mediator have consulted their respective schedules
 6 and have met and conferred regarding rescheduling the mediation;

7 **It is therefore stipulated between the parties that** they shall jointly request an
 8 Order from the Court extending by an additional 60 days the deadline for mediating this
 9 case and that the mediation should be rescheduled to take place on August 25, 2008.

10 **SO STIPULATED.**

11 DATED: July 9, 2008 Brayton Purcell, LLP

12 By /s/
 13 William G. McDevitt, Esq. (Of Counsel)
 Attorneys for Plaintiff

14 DATED: July 9, 2008 JOSEPH P. RUSSONIELLO
 15 United States Attorney

16 By /s/
 17 ABRAHAM A. SIMMONS
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 18 Attorneys for Defendant

19 **[PROPOSED] ORDER**

20 **PURSUANT TO STIPULATION IT IS SO ORDERED:**

21 The deadline for mediation this matter shall be extended until September 8, 2008.

22 _____
 23 July 11, 2008 _____
 24 Date

